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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket Number (Optional)  
740105-68

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In re Application of Hans LEYSIEFFER et al.  
Application Number 09/896,836 Filed 07/02/2001  
For: SYSTEM FOR REHABILITATION OF A HEARING DISORDER  
Group Art Unit 2654 Examiner Harper, V. Paul  
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

- ☒ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) - (\$55/\$110) \$110.00
- ☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) - (\$205/\$410) \$
- ☐ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) - (\$465/\$930) \$
- ☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) - (\$725/\$1450) \$
- ☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) - (\$985/\$1970) \$
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status.
- ☒ A check to cover the fee is enclosed.
- ☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.
- ☐ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 19-2380 (740105-68).  
I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

- I am the ☐ applicant/inventor
- ☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
  - ☒ attorney or agent of record.
  - ☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a) \_\_\_\_\_.

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September 30, 2003  
Date

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Typed or printed name

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☐ Total of \_\_\_\_\_ forms are submitted.